Air Resources Board



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January 19, 2006

Dear Sir or Madam:

The staff of the Air Resources Board (ARB) will hold a workshop to discuss ARB's regulatory and non-regulatory fuels-related activities. This workshop will be the first meeting to discuss this year's fuels activities.

Topics may include, but are not limited to, issues relating to the California Phase 3 Reformulated Gasoline regulations and the California diesel fuel regulations for vehicular and non-vehicular uses. A tentative agenda is provided as an enclosure. A final updated agenda may be released prior to the workshop. For more information regarding California's fuel programs, you may visit the Fuels Program webpage at http://www.arb.ca.gov/fuels/fuels.htm.

The time and place of the workshop are shown below:

Date: Tuesday, February 14, 2006

Time: 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Location: California Environmental Protection Agency

1001 "I" Street, Second Floor

Coastal Hearing Room

Sacramento, California 95814

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In addition, this workshop will be webcast. You may access the webcast at ARB's homepage, http://www.arb.ca.gov. To participate by teleconference, dial (800) 857-2747 and give the participant code: 42713 and leader name: Steve Brisby.

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: http://www.arb.ca.gov.

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If you have questions about the workshop or this notice, then please feel free to call me at (916) 322-6020 or you may contact Mr. Steve Brisby, manager of the Fuels Section, at (916) 322-6019.

Sincerely,

Dean C. Simeroth, Chief Criteria Pollutants Branch

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Steve Brisby, Manager

Fuels Section

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Conference Call Access: (800) 857-2747 Passcode: 42713

Tentative Agenda

- 1. Introductions
- 2. Gasoline
 - Proposals for Flexibility, Enforceability, Consistency
 - CaRFG3 Predictive Model
 - CRC E-67 Test Program (If Available)
 - Test Methods
 - Other
- 3. Diesel
 - Low Sulfur Implementation
 - Delivery of Non-California Fuel
 - Other
- 4. Alternative Fuels
 - E85
 - LPG
 - CNG
 - Bio-diesel
- 5. Presentations by Others
- 6. Open Discussion
- 7. Closing Remarks